

WEATHER AND TEMPERATURE  
Increasing clouds and warmer  
temperatures; Tuesday expected  
and warmer.  
Maximum temperature today, 30  
at noon; minimum, 8 at 4 p. m.

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## OHIO'S COLD WAVE IS RELEASING ITS GRIP FATE OF KID MCCOY STILL HANGS IN BALANCE

### PARLEY ON GAS RATES HERE TODAY

City Commission and Company Officials Will Meet.

FORMAL PROTEST DELAYED

Rate Offered Lowest Possible, Company Officers Say

An attempt to effect an agreement between the city and the West Ohio Gas Co. will be made late Monday afternoon at a conference between Chicago officials of the company and members of the city commission.

Solicitor Paul Landis has delayed filing the city's objection to the proposed increase pending the outcome of the conference, which has been called by City Manager Bingham at the request of company officials.

CHANGE NOT PROBABLE

Officials of the company said Monday that they do not know what turn the conference today will take. They declared, however, that the rate submitted is the lowest possible basis on which the company can earn a return for the supply of gas.

There is a possibility that there may be some change in rates, but not in the basic rate, it was intimated. Consequently, any part of a rate for one class that is taken off must be added to some other class, officials said, since they declare that the rates are figured to return only 4.95 percent on the company's valuation.

The rate schedule filed by the company becomes effective January 1, 1925, unless there is a protest. The city commission ordered Landis to file a protest and this he had planned to do today, but the developments over Sunday which brought about the conference Monday afternoon caused him to delay this action.

### BOARD MEETING

Allen-Co Health Group To Hold Discussion

The regular meeting of the Allen-Co Board of Health will be held Friday, Jan. 2, at Memorial hall. Reports from the health commissioner, Dr. J. J. Utter and the county nurses, Miss Charlotte Bassett and Mrs. Besse Augsburg will be read and the year's schedule planned.

A plan to supply physicians with vaccine, antitoxin and disinfectants for immunization against small pox and diphtheria will be brought under discussion, Dr. Sutter stated.

Arrangements will also be made that the sale of milk in this district will be prohibited unless it is produced by tuberculin tested cattle or that the milk is pasteurized before it is sold. This will go into effect after Jan. 1, but it is thought by Dr. Sutter that only a small percentage of the milk will be pasteurized as the common way is to have tuberculin tested cows.

Under the new schedule, Dr. Utter and the health officers will have charge of this department and will conduct inspections of dairies, etc., through the county.

FORMER BALL PLAYER DIES  
BELL LAURE, O.—William White, former major league ball player, died in a local hospital after a three days' illness. He was the guest of President of the White Sox European tour, and was with Comiskey when the latter was captain of the St. Louis Browns. He was a member of the Washington American team when it won its first world championship and also had played with the Louisville team of the American Association.

ALLEGED THIEF CAUGHT  
SPRINGFIELD, Mo.—Arrest of a local police is declared a triumph to have solved 13 crimes committed in Springfield in 13 days since Dec. 7. The thirteenth crime proved a water-tight case for Lanum, according to police. It was the theft of a clock from a church. They succeeded in locating a dealer to whom the clock had been sold by a man and thru him, say, they traced the theft to Lanum.

### PASTOR TELLS OF NEW IDEAS IN RELIGION

Rev. W. H. Gysan Explains Modern Attitude Toward Christ's Birth, In Sermon at Congregational Church Sunday Night

"A virgin-born Christ would be far removed from our common humanity; His temptations would not be real temptations and His spotless life would offer no hope for the ordinary man since He was different from the very beginning in His very nature," Rev. W. H. Gysan, pastor of First Congregational church, S. Elizabeth-st., said before a large audience Sunday evening in his address "The Virgin Birth of Christ in the Light of Critical Thought."

"On the other hand," Rev. Gysan continued, "the virgin-born Christ is a pure and holy life because He chose to be obedient to the Father's will in every instance, as a true Wayshower for us and we can have some hope of doing the same thing. He gave to us, He is prophetic of the kind of people all of us can be."

DOGMA EXPLAINED

"Even a virgin-born Christ could not have been entirely free from weakness received from his mother. This dogma therefore does not make Him the sinless being needed by the old theology to atone for our guilt. The Catholic church recognized this fact and added the doctrine of Mary's immaculate conception to provide for a sinless Jesus," the Congregational pastor said.

Gysan attempted to show how the virgin birth of Christ is a statement in the birth stories, for instance that Cyrenius was governor of Syria when Christ was born, that he was not governor until 7 A. D. This together with several other statements which Gysan said were not in accord with history, arouse the suspicion that the stories may not be his.

Attempts have been made to show that an old testament prophecy of a virgin birth was fulfilled, although scholars now agree that Matthew was wrong in interpreting Isaiah's statement about the coming of a child, Gysan said.

Other legends ascribing virgin birth to Buddha, some of the Gospels and other historical characters were cited by Gysan to show how much stories about Jesus rose naturally among Gentile Christians who wished to explain their Master's wonderful personality and honor Him.

MARRIAGE HONORED  
From the modern viewpoint, Gysan told his audience the virgin birth deprecates ordinary parenthood and the sex function. The modernist believes that God's love could easily be incarnated in a Jesus born of two parents and even fittingly so, for thereby marriage is honored, he said. To us, faith in Jesus does not depend on the virgin birth theory; it was the faith in him as the Son of God that made Him the great spiritual and ethical leader of humanity, Gysan concluded.

Gysan's first sermon in which he took sides with the modernists caused much comment in various pulpits throughout the city. Several pastors openly attacked the Congregational minister's theories. "Gysan's sermon is a masterpiece," Sunday evening sermon likely will be made by other ministers next Sunday and at the bi-weekly meeting of the Lima Ministerial association meeting at the Y. M. C. A. last Monday morning.

SUNDAY SEES LAST OF CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS  
Sunday saw the winding up of Christmas programs given by Lima churches. A Christmas pageant, was presented by members of the congregation at Trinity M. E. church Sunday evening before a large audience which filled the auditorium. Principal parts were taken by T. P. Saw, J. T. Cotter, Foss Zarbach, F. E. Alexander, S. M. Williams, Fred Wetly and J. L. Jolley.

PAPER RAISES PRICE  
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The Kansas City Star today raised its street sale price from one to two cents and its local circulation rose from 10 to 15 cents per copy. The paper is owned by the Hearst family and is published by the Hearst family.

INSTANTLY KILLED  
BOSTON, Mass.—John J. O'Connell, 18, of Huntington, N. Y., was instantly killed Sunday night when he was struck by a car driven by a woman near the city.

### VERDICT IS NOT GIVEN BY JURORS

Body Stands 10 to 2 When It Resumes

COURT ROOM IS CROWDED

New Trial May Be Ordered For Boxer

LOS ANGELES, Cal.—Jurors started their fourth day of deliberation over the fate of Kid McCoy, charged with murdering Mrs. Theresa Mors, at 9:10 a. m. today.

The nine women and three men on the jury appeared refreshed after a long night's sleep as they filed into the jury room.

Judge Charles S. Crall, in whose court McCoy was tried, proceeded with the regular Monday morning law and motion calendar while the jury in another room continued the debate which, it is expected, will result in a verdict today.

The jury stood 10 to 2 when it resumed deliberation.

Murder trial fans anticipating "the big moment" of the McCoy case crowded the court room early this morning and took seats for the day.

Norman Selby, who as "Kid" McCoy, fought his way to the mid-die weight championship of the world and won the hearts of many women, still maintained his nerve in the face of the ordeal.

The jury which is to render a verdict had been out 59 hours when the judge ordered it locked up.

If a disagreement, with no sign of agreement in sight, is reported at 10 a. m., a new trial may be ordered.

### MURDERER ATE HIS VICTIMS

Facts Rivaling Those in Haarman Case Revealed

BERLIN — (By United Press) — Karl Denke, a Silesian farmer, is believed to have killed and eaten 15 persons at his lonely farm near Muensterberg.

Skins of the victims was used to fashion suspenders and trine.

Police have been making one gruesome discovery after another in Germany's newest "Haarman case" since Denke's suicide on Christmas eve.

The farmer lured wandering workmen and youths to his home and killed them with cannibalistic intent, according to the state's attorney who has undertaken investigation of the case.

Jars containing pickled human flesh were found in Denke's barn.

On Christmas Eve, he attacked a youth with a spade, but the intended victim escaped. Arrested, Denke hanged himself in his cell.

### JOHN EBERLE IS HELD IN CHARGES BY POLICE

John Eberle of 1180 S. Central, was arrested and lodged in the city jail Sunday evening charged with being drunk, following a reported disturbance in the cigar store of Virgil Weagley, at Second and Main-sts.

Eberle walked into Weagley's place on returning from a hunting trip Sunday afternoon. He was under the influence of liquor and was brandishing a shotgun, it is charged. Weagley called police.

Eberle will be arraigned in criminal court Tuesday.

### NORTHEASTERN JAPAN ROCKED BY QUAKES

TOKIO — Another severe earthquake which lasted ten minutes rocked Kushiro, in northeastern Japan at 7:55 o'clock this morning.

The tremor was less severe than a like disturbance last Saturday but it was followed by two after shocks. The origin of the disturbance is attributed to the subsidence of the sea bed about 20 miles off Kushiro.

Kushiro is located in the Hokkaido group of forty islands, and is an export port for sulphur and lumber brought to the mouth of the Kushiro river. The earthquake numbered 108 during December.

Earthquakes of average intensity were felt in Tokyo tonight. The shocks were of an average duration of 20 seconds.

SHE'LL WED RUPERT HUGHES



### Pair Overcome By Deadly Gas

NORWALK, O. — When Peter Landoli walked out of his home here early today he saw the enclosed auto in which his daughter, Lucy, 17, rolled out into his arms. Gogg, 20, lay on the floor in a stupor.

Landoli opened a door on the car and the body of his daughter, Lucy, 17, rolled out into his arms. Gogg, 20, lay on the floor in a stupor.

The couple had driven into the yard around midnight. They sat in the enclosed car with the motor running and were overcome by fumes of carbon-monoxide. Gogg's condition is critical.

### COURT TO DETERMINE FIRE ORPHANS' FUTURE

HOBART, Okla.—The trend of life for the saddened faced orphan children surviving from the Babbs Switch disaster Christmas eve will be determined this week.

The Kiowa court convened today. Judge J. S. Carpenter was to appoint administrators for estates left by the victims of the fire guardians for minor children who lost their parents by the school house tragedy.

Attorneys of the Kiowa-Bar association simultaneously made announcement that they will charge no fees for legal services to the fire sufferers.

The death toll of the school house fire remained at 36 today. The condition of Mrs. Joe McNutt, one of the 24 injured by being trampled and burned in escaping the small one-story frame school house was reported as unsatisfactory.

### CHILDREN GIVEN REAL PARTY. REPORT SHOWS

More than 20 children were given a real Christmas by the members of the Women's Board of the Lima Day Nursery. Mrs. C. R. Phillips, chairman of the committee, will report at the next meeting. The party was held at the Day Nursery on Christmas morning.

A Santa Claus provided by the Lions club distributed gifts to the children from around the tree. The turkey was given by Mrs. Julius Solomon, fruit by Mrs. A. S. Bowers, pie cream by the B. L. Graham Co., dolls by Mrs. G. E. Rumm and cakes by Mrs. John Galvin.

Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Frank Boone, Mrs. W. H. Hoover and Mrs. Bowers aided in serving the dinner. Mrs. Frank Mitchell and Mrs. Solomon were also members of the committee on arrangements.

### DEADLY MALADY STREBENVILLE, O. Josiah

(Sb) Myers, 65, retired blacksmith, was instantly killed by a passenger train on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania railroad here today. He was walking on the tracks watching the ice in the river and being deaf failed to hear the approach of the train.

### TEMPERATURE INCREASES 22 DEGREES IN 8 HOURS

Reports Thruout Ohio Show Blasts To Be Receding

TWO MEN INJURED HERE

Icy Streets and Sidewalks Menace To Pedestrians

A temperature increase of 22 degrees in eight hours lifted Lima out of the intense cold of the past week. At noon Monday the thermometer at the Solar Refractory registered 25 degrees above zero and prospects were that still higher temperatures would be recorded before nightfall.

Temperatures recorded Sunday were 10 degrees below zero at 4 a. m., low, and four degrees above zero at 2 p. m. high.

Relief from the cold came none too soon, however, as is evidenced by the report of two accidents due to icy streets and sidewalks. One man was injured Sunday and the other Monday morning.

TWO HURT

Edward Joush, 418 Flanders-ay, is in the hospital with a broken right hip suffered Monday at 9 a. m. when he fell while walking under the Penn. tunnel on N. Union-st.

W. H. Douglas, 302 S. Main-st., received a broken nose and deep scalp wound Sunday at 6:45 p. m. when he slipped on the icy sidewalk in front of the Sigma theatre. He was removed to City hospital in Williams & Davis ambulance but was able to leave for his home after his injuries had been treated.

Indications are that the weather will become considerably warmer by the middle of the week and melting of the covering of snow is predicted. Another cold wave of moderate intensity is expected late in the week but temperature is not expected to go below 10 degrees above zero.

### CONGRESS BACK AFTER RECESS

Muscle Shoals Holds Right of Way in Senate

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — Congress after a week's recess put Yuletide thoughts behind today to buckle down to legislative tasks that promise to keep it in high gear from now until adjournment of the session March 4.

The senate still faced an unanswered problem in Muscle Shoals which holds right of way there, with the house resuming work on appropriation bills. Three of the dozen supply measures already have been counted off and sent to the senate to leave the treasury and post office bill next in line for house action. Its passage there this week will clear the way for the army supply bill.

YULETIDE FIXES

In the office of the senate program is the calling up of the president's veto of the postal salary increased bill by unanimous consent for a vote on Jan. 6.

Altho the senate has yet to take up any of the appropriation bills sent from the house, their consideration in committee has begun and leaders believe by speedy action the senate can catch up during the less than ten weeks remaining of the session.

The senate also is pledged to take action before the windup of the session on the Isle of Pines treaty. In the house leaders plan to dispose next month of the McClellan banking bill and perhaps the rivers and harbors authorization measure along with appropriation bills which will continue to have priority.

### REWARD FOR MURDERERS

Secretary Weeks approved today a plan for reward of the army world filers which would advance Captain Lowell H. Smith 1,000 files on the promotion list and Lieutenant Wade Nelson and Arnold 500 files each.

Sergeants Henry H. Ogden and John Harding, who hold reserve corps commissions as second lieutenants, would be appointed officers in the regular army in their reserve corps grade.

All members receive distinguished service medals and would be permitted to accept the decorations offered by foreign governments.

The plan was drawn up at the war department at the request of President Coolidge, to whom it was submitted today by the secretary. If it receives the president's approval, it will be transmitted to congress, which alone has authority to confer the privileges recommended.

### PRESS POSTAL BILL

The joint post office subcommittee of the senate and house pressed forward today with its hearing on the administration postal rate increase bill with the purpose of bringing them to a conclusion early in the week. It is the aim of administration leaders to wind up the hearings with a view to presentation of a report to the senate committee in time for the reporting of the bill to the senate before President Coolidge's veto of the postal salary increase bill is taken up by that body under a unanimous consent agreement early next week.

### TRACK WALKER KILLED

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### SET FIRE TO TOWN

POTTSBORO, Tex.—Fire believed to have been set by bandits destroyed nine buildings in downtown Pottsboro early this morning.

Overturned safes in some of the structures led police to believe bandits robbed them, then fired the town as bandits did at Valley View, Tex., recently.

The loss was estimated at \$150,000.

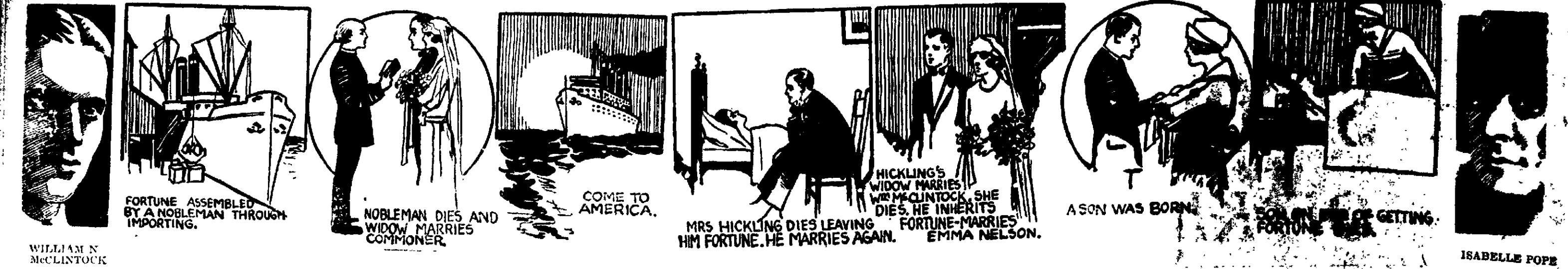
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# MYSTERY SURROUNDS McCLINTOCK FORTUNE



## DEATH IN WAKE OF MILLIONS

Curse Has Pursued Holders of Vast Estate

## TREASURES FROM SEA

Probe of Youth's Demise Adds Latest Chapter

CHICAGO (Special)—Death has stalked in the wake of the McClintock fortune.

A sinister and tragic curse has pursued every holder of the vast estate—which has changed hands perhaps, faster than any other great fortune.

And the origin of the fortune—that too is mystery!

While bacteriologists are examining the body of William N. McClintock, "the millionaire orphan," to determine positively the cause of his death, Mr. and Mrs. William Shepherd, foster parents and recipients of the estate, center as central figures in this great mystery drama.

ORIGINATED IN ENGLAND

The great mystery started many years ago in a great mansion in England, in which were stored a most amazing collection of antiques and objects of art.

Legend has it that these treasures had come in from the sea on ships, from India, where the occult and mysterious is ever present; from China, from Africa and the South Seas, home ofoodoo and barbaric rites; from art centers of the Mediterranean and mansions of medieval Europe.

These, so the story goes, were held by a nobleman who died, leaving a widow. With the demise of the nobleman the trail of death began.

Of noble birth and lineage, the widow brought great criticism upon herself by marrying William Hickling, a country squire, a commoner.

THEY CAME TO AMERICA

So they packed their wealth and sailed for America and settled in Ottawa, Ill.

Mrs. Hickling's death followed shortly after and Hickling married again. The second wife, a widow, lived but a short time and the widow, aided by great wealth, established herself in Chicago society.

She employed a secretary, William McClintock, who at one time lived at LeMars, Ia. He later became her husband. Then death entered again, claiming Mrs. McClintock.

In 1902, McClintock married Miss Emma Nelson of Topeka, Kas. To them was born a son, christened William Nelson McClintock, the first blood heir of an estate which had been buffeted from holder to holder.

SHE WAITED WITH LICENSE

A few years later the elder McClintock was killed in a motor accident. The younger died shortly after—the trail of the fortune led to the five-year-old orphan.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shepherd, relatives, were named guardians of the boy.

Years went by and Young McClintock came of age. That was only last summer. He met a girl, Miss Isabelle Pope of Wilmette, Ill., and they were to be married.

But as the girl waited at the sickroom door with a marriage license in her hand, death stalked into the room and claimed the life of young McClintock—again breaking the blood line of heirs—the fortune going to outsiders, save \$5,000 yearly bequest to Miss Pope.

THE BODY WAS LAID TO REST—then the law stopped in, again veiling in mystery the trail of the fortune—a fortune mysterious in its origin, mysterious in its flight from heir to heir.

## THE MILLIONAIRE ORPHAN'S WILL

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN.

I, WILLIAM McCLINTOCK, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this my last Will and Testament.

First: I desire that all my debts, if any there be, shall be paid out of the first funds available for such purpose and at the earliest possible moment consistent with the proper conservation of my estate.

Second: I give and bequeath to my affianced wife, ISABELLE POPE, the sum of EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$8,000.00) per annum for the term of her life. I make this bequest as a token of the love and affection I have for her, and as a proper protection for her until such time as our marriage shall be consummated. The arranging for, and the manner of making the payments of this bequest, I leave to the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named.

Third: I give, devise and bequeath to my foster father, WILLIAM D. SHEPHERD, all the rest and residue of my property of whatsoever description, both real and personal, of which I may be possessed or to which I may be entitled. I make this bequest for the benefit of my foster parents as a token of my love and affection for them, and as a mark of appreciation of the years of care that they have given me, during which time they have in all manner been all that parents could be to me. I do not make a special bequest to my beloved foster mother, JULIE W. SHEPHERD, knowing full well that through this bequest she will obtain all the benefits thereof without the worry and care incident to possession of the property itself.

Fourth: I move and appoint my foster father, WILLIAM D. SHEPHERD, to be the Executor of this my last Will and Testament, imposing on him the sacred duty of carrying out my wishes and desires in the bequests above mentioned.

Witness my hand and seal this 3rd day of April, 1924, declared by WILLIAM NELSON McCLINTOCK to be his last Will and Testament in my presence, who in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have affixed our names hereto as witnesses to his signature to the above mentioned Will.

WILLIAM McCLINTOCK

WILLIAM D. SHEPHERD

ISABELLE POPE

FILED

The above document, consisting of two pages, which were properly identified by the testator's signature on the margin of each, was, on this 3rd day of April, 1924, declared by WILLIAM NELSON McCLINTOCK to be his last Will and Testament in my presence, who in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have affixed our names hereto as witnesses to his signature to the above mentioned Will.

WILLIAM D. SHEPHERD

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## OHIO COLD WAVE IS WANING

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knocked out by the cold. Steel and snow covered rails added to the difficulties and many trains were as much as 12 hours late in reaching Chicago from Omaha, Kansas City and St. Paul.

CANTON, O.—(By Associated Press)—The sub-zero weather which swept Starkco Sunday establishing a mark of 7 degrees below zero, the lowest in years, claimed one victim. The frozen body of Ulysses Violet, 72, was found in a chicken coop on his farm near Jactus yesterday evening by neighbors.

NEAR RECORD

NEW YORK.—(By United Press)—One man was found frozen to death, scores were suffering from exposure and institutions of refuge were crowded with homeless persons as the city shivered in one of the coldest December mornings on record here today.

Yesterday was the third coldest December New York City has experienced in half a century. Threatened zero weather did not develop, but the thermometer dropped as low as 12 above and stood at 15 above at 7 a. m. today.

Temperatures as low as 26 below were registered in the Adirondacks.

In other parts of Kansas and Missouri thermometers registered from one to eight below.

Wire and train service was not affected by the latest cold wave, according to telegraph and railway officials.

## CONGRESS BACK AFTER RECESS

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department against the British embargo on American potatoes.

This government's stand is based on technical information supplied by the department of agriculture showing that an embargo is not justified by the presence of Colorado beetles, or common potato bugs, in shipments to England.

Potato bugs are more prevalent in Canada than in the United States and no embargo has been put on Canadian exports by the British. It is understood here.

Farmer representatives from Maine and other states affected by the British ruling have protested to the state departments.

## PLAY-WRITING, ACTING COURSE FOR STUDENTS AT CHICAGO INSTITUTE

CHICAGO—Drama entered the official category of the fine arts at the Chicago Art Institute with the establishment of a department for the study and practice of acting, play-writing and costume design, and when the construction of a theatre to house these activities was begun.

The theatre will seat about 700 persons. Its architect made investigations in Europe and incorporated many special devices for the rapid and convenient handling of scenery without the usual means. The chief of these is a sky dome over the entire stage which obviates the use of drop curtains for exteriors, and of movable floors on which an entire setting, with its furniture and actors, may ride to positions with the prosenium.

The entire plant was a gift of Mr. and Mrs. William Owen Good-Kenneth Sawyer Goodman, playwright, who died in service during the war.

Thomas Wood Stevens, for the last ten years head of the laboratory theatre at the Carnegie Institute of Technology at Pittsburgh, has been appointed head of the department.

## CHANGE OF NAME

DURHAM, N. C.—The board of trustees of Trinity College today voted unanimously to change the name of the college to Duke University.

## SENTENCES ARE IMPOSED

Youthful Prisoners Draw Suspended Sentences

## SECOND CHANCES GIVEN

Court Disposed To Be Merciful In Cases

Four boys, who pleaded guilty to robbing stores in and around Lima, were given suspended sentences in Mansfield, and one other youth was sentenced to the reformatory to serve out his time.

Judge Fred C. Becker in common pleas court Monday.

Herbert Leffler, 23, of E. Vincennes, indicted for forging a \$15 check, will go to Mansfield for an indeterminate sentence.

Investigation showed that the youth has been implicated in four check deals at various times and has also been under suspicion in an \$80 theft, which he settled by turning over a diamond ring, and his father paid \$25.

"My wife spent all my money," he told the court, "and I needed money to pay my board, and buy some Christmas things."

"THINK IT OVER!"

"You wanted to make a flash didn't you?" inquired Judge Becker. "The best thing for you is to have time to think it over. When you get down there, there will be no one to disturb you, and maybe you will see that it is foolish to try to get something for nothing."

James Kline, 18, implicated in the Rockhill grocery robbery, was given some sound advice by the court.

"Lay away a little of your wages," Judge Becker told the youth. "Then you will want others to be honest, and want to go straight yourself. It's up to you to say what your future will be. Quit loafing around and go to work. If you can't get a regular job, you can do odd jobs."

Judge Becker suspended a sentence to Mansfield, imposed on Kline, and warned him that if he did not go straight he will be picked up and sent away.

"You cannot escape punishment," he added, "nor hope to deceive the officers. You may escape for a time, but in the end you will pay. You are not smarter than they are."

## OTHERS NAMED

Three members of the Rousculp grocery gang were given suspended sentences in the school. They are Paul Everett, 13, Rockport; Earl Hilly, 19, Bluffton; and Claire Hilly, 19, Bluffton. The latter two are implicated in robberies in Cridersville and face indictment in Auglaize co.

A check deal of 12 years' standing may be means of sending Virgil Taylor, 2111-2 E. Second-st., to prison. He is charged with taking a Christmas savings check, property of Dorothy Binkley, and cashing it after endorsing it in her name.

He admitted being in trouble years ago when a young boy. Under the rule of the court, persons convicted of a second offense cannot be given a suspension. Nevertheless, Judge Becker continued the case in hopes of finding some circumstances in Taylor's favor. Taylor has a wife and three children.

## MAMMOTH AIRSHIP SHED PLANNED BY ENGLAND TO HOUSE AIRCRAFT

LONDON—Britain is to have an airship shed bigger than the mammoth one at Lakehurst, N. J., roof of the Shenandoah and the Los Angeles. It will shelter one of the 5,000,000 cubic feet capacity airships which the British government has decided to build.

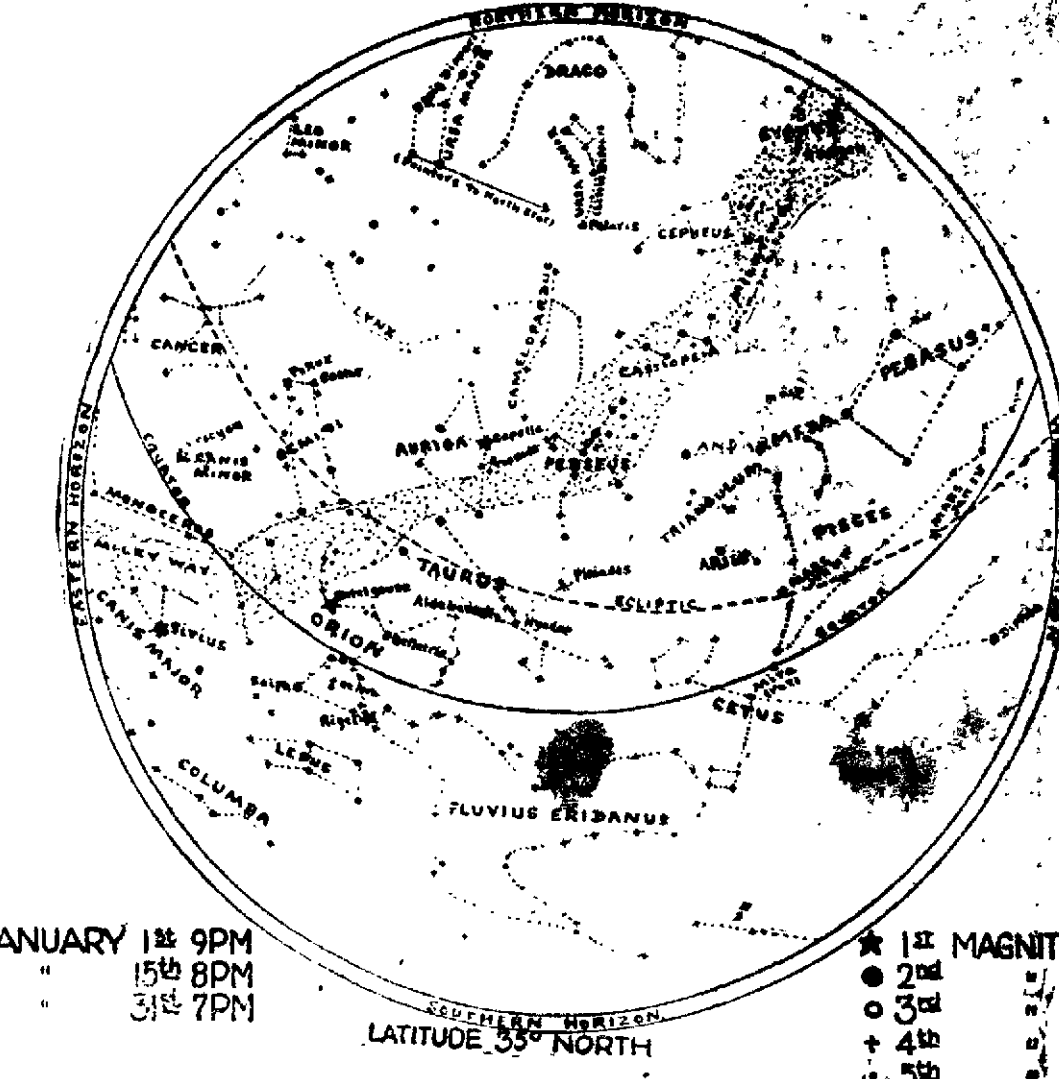
The shed will be located at Cardington, near Bedford, according to Modern Transport. It is to be merely an enlargement of the shed already there. Its increased length—812 feet—will make it 12 feet longer than the Lakehurst hangar, and 27 feet longer than the one at Friedrichshafen where the ZR-3 was built. The height of the Cardington shed is to be increased to 156 feet.

The big British Zeppelins are to be flown regularly, it is hoped, between England and India. Mooring masts, an American invention, are to be installed along the route. The air vice-marshal, Sir W. Sifton Branker, has gone to India by airplane to study the possibilities for airship termini out there.

## MAID RESCUED

CLEVELAND—Firemen rescued a maid from an upper story window when flames destroyed the home of Percival N. Calvert here today. The Calverts were returning home at an early hour when they saw their basement in flames. Firemen, who fought the blaze for four hours in bitter cold weather, said the fire resulted from defective wiring.

## THE STAR MAP FOR JANUARY



This map shows the heavens as they appear at 9 p. m., Jan. 1, 3 p. m., Jan. 15 and 7 p. m., Jan. 31 in latitude 33° north.

A change of several degrees in latitude, however, will make very little difference in the appearance of the heavens so the map is suitable for all points in the United States, or in the same latitude as the United States.

To view the constellations as they appear in the heavens hold the map in an inverted position or over the head with the top toward the north.

The most interesting constellations visible this month in the evening are Taurus and Orion to the southeast of the zenith or point overhead; Perseus and Auriga overhead; Cassiopeia to the northwest of the zenith, the Big Dipper in Ursa Major far over in the northeast. Andromeda and Pegasus in the west and Gemini in the west.

There are many brilliant first magnitude stars in the east and southeast and the planet Mars will be found over in the southeast.

Sirius, the brightest of all the stars, is now visible in the southeast and it forms with Betelgeuse in Orion and Procyon in Canis Minor a huge equilateral triangle.

The beautiful and famous little cluster of stars known as the Pleiades, which everyone should know, is now directly south of the zenith and a little to the southeast of the Pleiades is another noted group, the Hyades, in the shape of a V and containing the brilliant red star Aldebaran.

Both of these groups are in the constellation of Taurus. The Bull. The beautiful yellow star to the north of Taurus and just east of the zenith known as Capella (meaning The Goat) can be distinguished by the little group of three stars close by known as Haed, or the Kids.

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## TELEGRAPH TABS

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NEW YORK—Jan Masaryk, son of the president of Czechoslovakia was married here Sunday to Mrs. F. C. Leatherberg, daughter of Charles R. Crane.

DETROIT—Monday morning rolled around today with the Hamtramck, suburb, jail empty of its usual list of drunks for the first time within the memory of the oldest policeman.

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Thirty-two firms will compete Tuesday for sewer and water contracts aggregating \$500,000 to be let by the county commissioners in the sanitary sewer district, west of the city.

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There are seven large contracts to be let. Two are for sanitary sewers, two for storm sewers two for water and one for pumping or ejector stations.

Terms of the work require contractors to start work as soon as possible, and to deliver material on the ground thru the winter.

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Body of Mrs. Charlotte Stombaugh, 81, who was found dead in bed Monday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Franklin, Weston, O., will be accompanied to Lima Tuesday. Death is thought to have resulted from heart trouble.

She is survived by two sons, Elmer Stombaugh, 424 S. Baxter-st., and George Stombaugh, 1103 Fairview-av.

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The program for the inaugural now calls for the governor to spend the morning in his office attending to routine business, about noon to appear before a joint session of the general assembly in the hall of the house of representatives and take the oath which will be administered by Chief Justice Carrington C. Marshall of the state supreme court.

Following the taking of the oath, the governor then will read his message to the assembly, which will serve also as his inaugural address. The message, completed, a short public reception for members of the legislature, state officials and visitors then will be held in the house chamber. There also probably will be an informal reception in the executive office for friends of the executive.

Earlier in the day Secretary of State Thad H. Brown, Auditor Joseph T. Tracy, Treasurer Harry C. Day and Attorney General C. C. Crabbe will take the oath for their second terms in their offices.

Gov. Donahay's message, it is understood, is practically completed. He has been working on it at intervals since the election. No information has been forthcoming on what subjects the governor will discuss and what recommendations he will make to the assembly, it has been rumored that it will contain several surprises for the law-makers.

It is expected to be quite lengthy. LEGISLATURE READY

The legislature which will have been in session for a week previous to the inauguration, is expected to be in such running order by that time that it will be able to start forthwith with consideration of much important legislation. Speaker Harry D. Silver of the house hopes to have all committee assignments made during the first week and the committees organized by the opening of the second week of the session. Senate committees already have been determined, their formal ratification by the body being all that remains to constitute them working bodies.

Speaker Silver is expected to find his most difficult task in making house committee assignments in selection of a chairman of the finance committee, because of the number of applicants for the position.

Among the applicants for house chairmanship of the finance committee are William C. Ward of Columbus; Richard F. Hartz of Clinton-co., L. T. Day of Morgan-co and others less active.

LAND BOUGHT WAPAKONETA (Special)

A transaction whereby Mrs. C. Snyder and wife purchased from Luella A. Settlement, 10 acres of land in Union-twp. was consummated at the court house Monday.

PIONEERS DIE EONDON, O.—Three pioneers, Louis Weaver, Mrs. A. L. Mumma, and Mrs. J. Stuckey, died a few days apart. All were widely known in this section.

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The few cars of old corn being offered and those at the new crop are in good demand. The low grades are generally on sale. No. 2 yellow corn sold at the principal markets at \$1.20 to \$1.23 per bushel.

Oats prices gained about 2 cents and there was an active demand in elevators and feeders. With oats about 4 cents under the price it is very profitable to feed oats for the carmen's charge. Elevator interests are buying amounts for storage. West and southwestern feeders are good buyers of oats as well as grain sorghums because of the low price of feeding in that territory. The heavy rainfall in the north is causing a shortage of feed.

Barley and kafir corn prices advanced \$2.00 per ton. The kafir corn is in good demand.

**PASTOR DIES**  
A. M. GROVE, a genuine pastor, died in Columbus, Ohio, of the death of Rev. A. M. Grove, former pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Lima, Ohio, at his home in Lima, Ohio, on Friday and interment in the graves of his wife and children.

**KIWANIS MUSICAL**  
The Kio-Hos Musical in the city during the Tri-City club Tuesday night. The musical consists of one of the most interesting series of acts that have been given here.

**CHURCH GIFTS**  
An offering designed for the Methodist children in Worthington and the home of the Rev. C. H. Hill, Lima, Ohio, was sent by the Lima Sunday school.

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# HOPE OF YOUTH ON NEW YEAR

Declares His Innocence in Shadow of Gallows

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# PHILIP SAYS HE'LL SUE

McClintock's Grand Jury Scheduled For Grand Jury

CHILlicothe, (By United Press) — Grand jury investigation of the death of William McClintock, "millionaire orphan," will be demanded even though the chemical analysis of the vital organs fail to reveal evidence of poison, it was declared at the state's attorney's office today.

So far the examination has failed to reveal anything unusual, it was stated. Typhoid germs were found. Typhoid fever was given as the cause of death by the attending doctors.

**GOES TO GRAND JURY**  
Assistant state's attorney George E. McClintock said that he is preparing to call the grand jury to investigate the death of the millionaire orphan, regardless of the findings of the state chemist.

Chief justice, however, of the municipal court, friend of the McClintock family, is urging that the case be given to the grand jury, it was reported. Justice McClintock is a principal in the case.

A public hearing of the chemical analysis will be available today, McClintock's father, William D. McClintock, is back at his home in Chillicothe, the father of the millionaire orphan.

His wife, who was bequeathed the bulk of the \$2,000,000 fortune by McClintock, is in the city.

**DENIES INSINUATIONS**  
Shepherd made a categorical denial of all insinuations that his wife's death was due to causes other than typhoid. He also said that the wife was drawn up along the lines prescribed by the state chemist, he said, was not willing for his cousins to receive any of the money. Several cousins from Iowa are contesting the will.

"I shall start suit against my traducers," Shepherd said. "I came back from out of the state voluntarily and went to the state's attorney's office of my own free will. I told the whole story, answering every question put to me. I have nothing to conceal. Certain persons who hope to profit by the breaking of the will are behind the whole thing."

**REBEL TROOPS ARE LINED UP AND SHOT**  
LONDON—Eight hundred Chinese soldiers who participated in the recent rioting at Kalgan were lined up along the railroad tracks and executed, according to a Central News dispatch from Tientsin.

The troops insisted as a result of not receiving their pay and burned part of Kalgan, looting banks and shops. They were promised their pay if they would return to their barracks.

This met with approval of the mutineers, 800 in number, who entered box cars, entrained for Kalgan. They were locked in and the train was run on to a siding, where the rebels were shot to death by regular troops.

**DOUBLE FUNERAL**  
GALLIPOLIS, O.—More than one thousand persons attended the double funeral of Capt. Henry G. Wright and Capt. Major A. Wright, cousins and veteran rivermen at Stearns, W. Va., yesterday. The veteran pilots had navigated the Ohio and Kanawha rivers for 40 years. They belonged to the noted Wright family of pilots and captains. Flags were at half mast on steamboats today in their honor.

**MURDER INDICTMENT**  
YOUNGSTOWN, O.—A verdict of murder was returned today by Coroner M. E. Hayes in the death of Mrs. Beatrice Gerrard, who died in a hospital last night from five bullet wounds inflicted last night. The coroner said a charge of first degree murder will be filed against her husband, George Gerrard, who admits the shooting.

**BERNE, Switzerland** — Carl Friedrich George, a brilliant, veteran explorer, died in his sleep at his home in Bern, Switzerland, at the age of 80. He was a brilliant literary career, was crowned in 1913 with the award of the Nobel prize for literature for that year.

**INCENDIARIOUS**  
A house was burned to the ground in All Saints parish house. Loss estimated at \$5,000.

**SCHOOL OPENING**  
Public schools in the city will open one week from today, according to Superintendent W. H. Kerr who stated that the students would have but a short holiday vacation which will begin the morning term to an early close.

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# SOUNDS QUITE INTERESTING

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It is claimed that it will mean a saving of about 50 percent of coal.

# BANDIT GOING TO MANSFIELD

Youth Saves Him From Term at Columbus

Charles Martin, 20, street car bandit, sentenced to 10 years in Ohio State penitentiary Friday, along with Herman Bowersock, 24, his companion in crime, is to be sent to Mansfield instead.

The youth is too young to be committed to the state prison, Judge Becker learned, and under the law must be sent to the reformatory institution in hopes that he may turn over a new leaf. Martin was highly elated by the change, according to court attaches.

Fate of Herman Bowersock, farmer lad who went astray when faced with temptation and hard luck in the city, has not been determined.

Judge Becker has the option of sending him to Mansfield, too, and may execute that right in view of the boy's previous good record. Bowersock's parents live near Yoder.

If both boys are sentenced to Mansfield, they will be eligible for parole under the indeterminate sentence law.

# SON CHARGED WITH MURDERING FATHER

JOHNSTOWN, N. Y. — Daniel Baker of this city, died in a Groversville hospital this morning of bullet wounds said to have been inflicted by his son, William L. Baker. Police say the son has admitted he shot his father in a quarrel. The son will be arraigned today charged with first degree murder.

Police said the shooting appears to be the climax of a family feud which has existed since the father married the son's divorced wife, Young Baker. It was said, was married in November, 1917, making her home, with his father. Shortly afterward, Mrs. Baker brought suit for divorce and was awarded the custody of their two children. Then she married the elder Baker.

**DOCTOR WHO RISKED DEATH RETURNS SAFELY**  
PUT-IN-BAY, O.—Dr. G. M. Riley, who risked his own life by traversing 12 miles over the ice bridge between Put-in-Bay and the mainland to reach the bedside of a professional brother who was bleeding to death, has returned to Port Clinton.

Dr. J. L. Sowash, the only physician in the Bass islands, now practically icebound, responded promptly to treatment and is recovering from the severe hemorrhages which began on Christmas day.

The beacon light on Perry's monument, which guided Dr. Riley on his perilous trip, saw him safely back to Port Clinton and lighted the way for Dr. W. P. Johnson, of the state board of health, who is here to relieve Dr. Sowash in doctoring the inhabitants of the Bass islands.

**FUNERAL FOR FOUR**  
SPRINGFIELD, O.—Joint funeral services will be held at Grace Methodist Episcopal church here tomorrow morning for the four victims of last Friday's grade crossing tragedy just east of Springfield. The tragedy wiped out one entire family and bereft another of one of its members. The four, Elijah Wilson, 33; his wife Gladys, 28; their daughter, Marjorie, 9; and Elijah's brother, Harry, 25. They were on their way from their home in Springfield to visit relatives in Greenfield when a Big passenger train crashed into their automobile killing the four occupants instantly.

**SON IS ARRESTED**  
CLEVELAND, O.—Pierce P. Gill was arrested on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of his father, Robt. E. Gill, at a Christmas eve party. Death was caused by cerebral hemorrhage caused by "excitations of the skull," the coroner said after autopsy.

**HARDING FARM FIRE**  
WORTHINGTON, O.—Fire completely destroyed the office of Dr. George T. Harding Jr., brother of the late President Warren G. Harding, at his rest farm here today with an estimated loss of \$10,000. A defective chimney is believed to have caused the conflagration. Dr. Harding's office occupied a ten room frame dwelling on the rest farm. The second floor was used by the doctor. None of whom were injured. Dr. Harding also has offices in Columbus. He is the son of Dr. George T. Harding of Marion.

**WAY RELEASE FERRY**  
GRAND HAVEN, Mich.—Prospect for releasing the Pere Marquette car ferry No. 19, aground north of the harbor here since last Friday forenoon, appeared brighter today, according to officers of the United States coast guard. The wind having diminished and shifted to the southeast much of the ice that surrounded the big ferry Saturday and Sunday had moved out this morning, and the sea was comparatively quiet.

**ST. MARYS** — (Special) — Ray Kerr high school teacher, and his wife and two children escaped unhurt in an automobile accident turned over into a ditch.

**MARRIED**  
ST. MARYS — (Special) — Gus Holden and Lura Kiser have been married here. They will reside at 1215 S. Kirby st., Lima.

# WE'LL CONQUER SAYS PREMIER

Mussolini Hurls Oral Broadside At Enemies

# NEXT VICTORY DECISIVE

Speech Follows Publication of Sensational Attack

ROME — (By United Press) — Premier Mussolini, in a fighting speech today warned his enemies that Fascism's next victory will be "decisive."

"Having conquered extensively, we must now conquer deeply. We will conquer, that's all," the Italian premier declared.

His speech, delivered at a convention of Fascist editors came as the high spot of a torrent of defense unleashed by his followers on the heels of the sensation created throughout Italy by publication in Il Resto Saturday of the famous "Rossi" memorandum.

The memorandum, which was fired as a pre-election bombshell by the premier's opponents, charged that all political crimes of the Fascist regime were committed with the approval of Mussolini. Rossi was a former member of the Fascist grand council and was arrested following a disagreement with Mussolini and other leaders over acceptance of responsibility for the murder of Deputy Matteotti.

Since that time Rossi made peace with Mussolini and has been released. Supporters of the premier point out that the memorandum published Saturday was written last June, at a time when Rossi was being persecuted.

So great was the sensation created by its publication, however, that politicians yesterday discussed the possibility of Mussolini resigning. The charge would hold the premier responsible for the Matteotti assassination June 10 and for clubbing and casting out of office, perpetrated before and since that time.

Mussolini's speech today indicated he will not resign, but will fight back more vigorously than ever.

"Our black shirts already have won two victories, the first in their march on Rome, the second in election last April," Mussolini told the editors. "Guided by me they will win a third which will be decisive."

"We move a week ago Saturday in announcing a new electoral system was decided upon after mature deliberation. It offers the party an opportunity to win a great political battle."

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The corn market also made advances during the week but the strength was caused more by the sharp advance in bread wheat than by an increased demand. Industries continued to be principal buyers of the new crop offerings as feeders and shippers were taking only small amounts for their current needs. A reduction of about 2,000,000 head in the number of hogs raised this year together with a reduction of about 14 percent in the number of cattle on feed is cutting down the demand for corn. The high prices are also causing the substitution of other grains, including oats, barley and grain sorghums, resulting in only a moderate demand for the offerings at the visible stocks.

The few cars of old corn being offered and those at the new crop are in good demand. The low grades are generally on sale. No. 2 yellow corn sold at the principal markets at \$1.20 to \$1.23 per bushel.

Oats prices gained about 2 cents and there was an active demand in elevators and feeders. With oats about 4 cents under the price it is very profitable to feed oats for the carmen's charge. Elevator interests are buying amounts for storage. West and southwestern feeders are good buyers of oats as well as grain sorghums because of the low price of feeding in that territory. The heavy rainfall in the north is causing a shortage of feed.

Barley and kafir corn prices advanced \$2.00 per ton. The kafir corn is in good demand.

**PASTOR DIES**  
A. M. GROVE, a genuine pastor, died in Columbus, Ohio, of the death of Rev. A. M. Grove, former pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Lima, Ohio, at his home in Lima, Ohio, on Friday and interment in the graves of his wife and children.

**KIWANIS MUSICAL**  
The Kio-Hos Musical in the city during the Tri-City club Tuesday night. The musical consists of one of the most interesting series of acts that have been given here.

**CHURCH GIFTS**  
An offering designed for the Methodist children in Worthington and the home of the Rev. C. H. Hill, Lima, Ohio, was



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## Inferior Gasoline

Complaints have been reaching Washington that a great deal of gasoline being sold in Ohio is of inferior quality and in a number of instances government action has been urged upon Ohio senators to protect the public.

The alleged evil has been declared to exist in various parts of the state. One complaint filed by Jonathan Taylor of Akron, sent to Senator Frank B. Willis, was forwarded by the senator to Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover. The secretary replied that while his department was without power to act, having no jurisdiction to make an investigation, the matter was an important one and demanded public consideration.

Hoover sent Willis a copy of a letter from G. C. Riddell, chief of the minerals section of the department of commerce, which was sent to the Akron complainant. The letter contained advice as to procedure. Riddell said in part:

"It appears that there is misrepresentation as to the quality of the gasoline sold, or that there is a question of unfair competition on the sale of gasoline, complaint should be made to the federal trade commission, Washington.

"If the gasoline in question enters into interstate commerce a possible remedy would lie in action by congress. At present the only regulations relating to interstate shipment of gasoline are those of the interstate commerce commission in regard to the safe handling and storage of this commodity.

"If the gasoline in question is refined and marketed entirely within the state, the matter would appear to be one for attention by state or local authorities.

"If it should prove impossible or impractical to obtain relief by any of the methods mentioned above, I believe the question very properly might be taken up with one of the automobile associations."

Secretary Hoover was correct, we believe, in his statement that the matter is one of great public concern. With hundreds of thousands of motor vehicles burning up thousands of gallons of gasoline daily in Ohio, as well as every other state, there should be some safeguard to those buying this important product.

One of the best safeguards the motorist has today is thru dealing with reputable concerns which have built their business on honesty in values and who would not even consider selling an inferior product. There are many of them. Likewise, there are many "shoestring" concerns that have no reputation to maintain and who do not expect to remain in business for any considerable length of time, that would stoop to unfair tactics. This is to be found in any business.

The bureau of mines, which makes periodic tests of gasoline in various parts of the country, has recently announced that it has found an improvement in the uniformity and quality of gasoline being sold. This is encouraging and should be expected since constant improvement in refining should naturally tend toward a higher grade product.

Motor fuel is an item to which car owners should give careful consideration. They should be able to check up on results with some degree of accuracy and where they believe inferior gasoline is being sold should not be hesitant about appealing to those in a position to make an investigation.

## Engineering Genius

California engineers plan to divert part of the mighty Colorado and make it flow

westward to the Pacific. The water, needed in Los Angeles and along the way, will obey man's orders and travel across mountains and deserts. It is a great undertaking, and our civilization is proud of its power to do it.

If Yuan, ancient Chinese emperor could speak from the grave he would say: "I did a greater job than that, shortly after the Noah's Ark flood. I shifted the entire watershed of China, in some places as much as 600 miles."

## Sports Overdone

Colleges and universities are devoting too much attention and money to football and other sports, says a University of Michigan official. He urges members of the Western Conference to get together and call a halt.

Intercollegiate athletics have been overdone, he warns. The athlete has become the school hero. The real student is pointed out, in a spirit of half-pity, as a "book-worm."

Universities do not like to admit it, but in most cases the main purpose of their athletics is advertising rather than sport. Years ago it was discovered that a championship football team apparently will pull more students to a school than anything that can be offered in the way of educational advantages.

These higher schools are beginning to pay the penalty for sharing the national craze to be big. The goal usually is to get as many thousands of students as possible, and the buildings and endowments that necessarily go with big attendance.

In the competition to develop championship athletics, many athletically capable but intellectually apathetic "students" have flocked into the palaces of higher learning. Alumni help.

As long as colleges and universities want to be large business organizations, they must advertise. And athletics are their best bet in publicity, to attract customers. It often strikes an outsider that these higher schools, whose primary function is to educate students' brains and culture their characters, are famed principally for their athletes.

But is the situation really any worse than it has been for years?

We recall a small college with about 300 students. This school was breathless with excitement for days before a football game, especially the star event with a traditional rival, and the contest itself was fought out before frenzied spectators. Today that college has grown until it has 10 times as many students—and quite naturally its athletic fervor has increased ten-fold.

Student for student, its athletics haven't any greater "per capita" grip than in the old days. And that, we believe, is the general rule. Universities are larger, and interest in athletics accordingly is on a larger scale. The critic sees a sporting event in an amphitheater that looks as if two nations were competing. He forgets that this is a pooling of what amounts to a score or more of old-time small schools.

However, college sports are overdone. They always have been and always will be. Americans incline to overdo everything.

## Eliminating Pedestrians

Truth sometimes crops out unintentionally.

The Bell Telephone News comments seriously: "In the big cities automobiles are making traffic conditions easier by gradually reducing the number of pedestrians."



## LIMA NEWS HEALTH SERVICE

By DR. WILLIAM BRADY

### WE ALWAYS AGREE WITH MARY

Do you agree with Mary Gar-ly a question of the functional efficiency of the vasomotor system. That is the portion of the autonomic (self governing or "sympathetic") nervous system which controls the distribution of the blood. The morning cold bath habit is one way to train the vasomotor system, Dr. Simon Baruch, the great apostle of hy-

drotherapy, used to speak of "neuromuscular training" by means of graduated cold baths—physical culture for the nerve muscle mechanism which keeps us warm. The youngsters at Perryburg get such training, but from air baths instead of water baths. Barefoot kids get it, if they have the chance, and that is why they do not feel the cold so much as folks imagine the poor wails do, on raw days in the fall.

From the strictly hygienic point of view, then, the less clothing, consistent with comfort, the better.

It would be worth while as an educational excursion for all who are obsessed with the morbid notion that any kind or quantity of clothing protects one against any disease conditions (except sunstroke or frostbite) to visit such an institution as the J. N. Adam Memorial hospital at Perryburg, N. Y., and see the little patients there "taking the air" in their perfectly fitting bronze coats and smiles, smiling, smiles—I have looked many hospitals over from the inside but this wonderful institution at Perryburg had more smiles per hundred patients than any other I have seen. The youngsters not only said they felt warm, but they did feel warm. I felt of 'em and I can testify to that. Of course they have learned how to be comfortable with nothing on, thru many months of gradually increasing sun and air, baths, beginning with a brief exposure of just the legs, say, from the knees down for five minutes or so at first, and as the tanning increases very gradually increasing the extent and duration of exposure of the skin to the sun. The visitor to such a place, if he understands what is going on, cannot come away with the old obsession that the amount of clothing one wears determines one's comfort.

There is practically no relation between the temperature of the body and the temperature of the surrounding air. That is, the body temperature remains at a constant point whether the surrounding air be hot, warm, temperate, cool or cold.

The kind and quantity of clothing we wear has much less to do with the business of keeping warm than most people imagine. The business of keeping warm is main-

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a cup of coffee; I must chew the beans four or five times a day. Is this a drug habit? Am I weak willed to surrender to it? Will it do me serious harm? (Mrs. L. R.)  
Answer—Yes. Why not grow a harmless substitute, such as wheat (grain), wild rice or brown or rice (unpolished rice), oatmeal or wheat bran?

Deaf-mutism  
Are the children of a man whose parents were both deaf mutes likely to be deaf mutes? The man himself is normal, as were his three brothers and sisters, and the woman he is to marry has a normal family history and is herself normal. (P. C. T.)  
Answer—No.

Garaway Seeds  
Would like to know if garaway seeds sprinkled on rice bread are harmful. Have not noticed any ill effects. (E. M.)  
Answer—No, only it is laborious eating around them.

Morton's Cramp  
My toes cramp so I could just yell with pain. It does not matter whether my shoes are loose or tight. It is an awful nuisance, as I have to remove the shoe wherever I am to get relief. (Mrs. M. R.)  
Answer—Sometimes a felt or leather pad under the ball of the foot inside the shoe will prevent the cramps. Sometimes it is necessary to remove the head of a mule shoe. The condition is primarily caused by wearing tight, narrow-pointed shoes, and by walking and standing with the toes turned out instead of keeping the feet about parallel.

Vanishing Cream  
What effect does vanishing cream, of course a good one, have on the skin? Does it cause the pores to become enlarged? Which is better, to apply cosmetics, or vanishing cream or directly on the skin? (Lorella.)

Answer—A freshly made cold cream or vanishing cream should be applied before applying the paint or color. If you must apply it at all, no cosmetic enlarges the pores, so far as I know. A pure fresh cold cream is good for the skin and complexion if the skin is dry and harsh. Otherwise, the skin and complexion are better without such applications. (Copyright, 1924)

## JUST FOR HEADACHE

By HUGAR A. HUGAR

THE SMOKE of a cigarette  
Out of his bed he  
said  
As he looked toward  
pass:  
"Hip, Hip, Hooray!"  
slight.  
For the smoke of a  
cigarette  
His eye was bright  
delight.  
And his shadow  
clear.  
"I'll have (smoke)  
him say.  
"For at last the smoke  
of a cigarette  
But I shivered a bit  
As I heard the smoke  
And I looked at the smoke  
below  
And wished that a cigarette  
I wished that as he  
with glee  
And laugh at the smoke  
As I used to do, in the youth I  
know.  
But that, smoke  
And the wind blows cold when a  
man is old,  
And sad is the winter's song,  
And he dreads the smoke, for he's  
come to know  
That the winter weeks are  
long.

Oh, he couldn't see as he looked  
at me  
Why a sign from lips should  
fall  
For what is joy to a healthy boy  
He thinks is a joy for all.

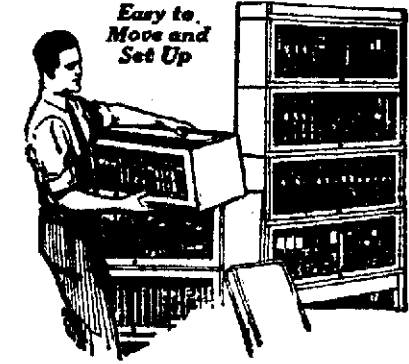
And the young hearts leap when  
the blizzards sweep  
As they stand by the window  
pane  
But we dread the smoke, who are  
growing old  
When the smoke comes back  
again.  
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## A THOUGHT

Chasten thyself while there is  
hope, and let thy soul aspire  
for his crying, Prov. 19:18.

The clue of our destiny, wander  
where we will, lies at the cradle  
foot.—Richter.

## Globe-Wernicke Sectional Bookcases

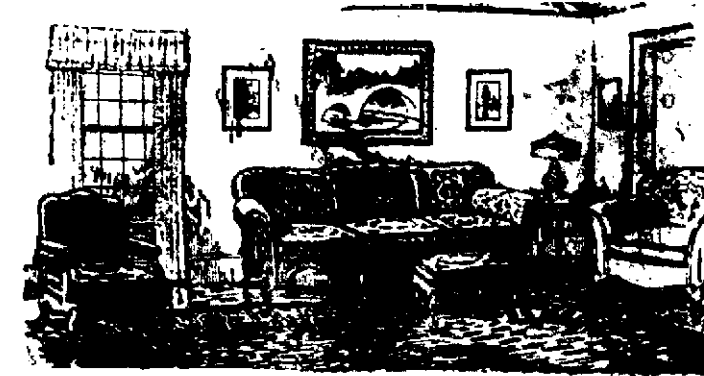


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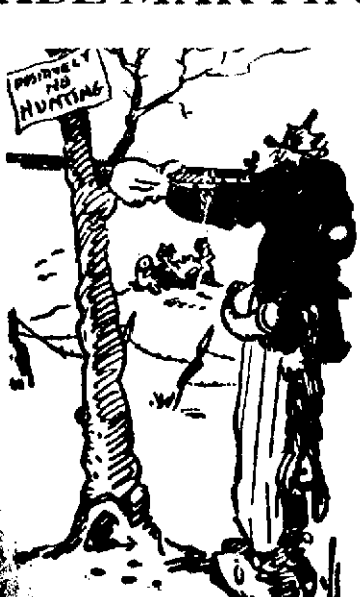
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## 'ROUND LIMA HOUR BY HOUR

BY OH, OH, JACKENRUM

A Page from the Diary of an  
Antiquated Reporter: Very brave

## ABE MARTIN



Whoever wrote "A" who success  
deserve it? must have  
been a fellow who could  
beat a doctor a day is  
applies.  
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ly up, bare footed it to the open, the engineer; Senior Henderson, banging down that pole, son, of Crane fame; Frank Colaperture, and turning on the ci, the financier; and Elwood vapor. Showing no favoritism, Lindesmith, of the fashionable to my wife's room, thence to westwood colony.

Belowstairs, to Silent Charlie; for noble trim, following Frank E. Baxter. Just prettied as he said, to middle aged nicety. On foot, to the Old money, there in to the Danny Jones wagon emporium, there getting the bus with a superheater placed at the chauffeur's feet. Class!

After lunch, of hashed beef in potatoes, with cold slaw salad, out to Long's Place. Where in one corner of the great saloon, was a radio fanning bee. On a table about getting Honolulu. Then another broke up the session. On his table that last night he got Havana so super clearly, that he heard the clink of glasses, the actual sipping of the wine, and the main operator ordering another.

Spoke in the friendliness to many of import. Round and about being George Vail, the steel king; Mear Broekridge, the Cadillac body maker; Herb Snyder, and cream, to bed

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"He sure got plenty. Took him fifteen minutes to get him up and down. He was another laugh. 'You know him?' they asked in chorus. He's a stranger around these parts. 'I've seen him. Seems to be quite a man.' They declared, fervently that he was two men rolled into one, and there followed a graphic description of the fight. 'Which he was laughing all the way thru.' One declared, 'You'd have thought that he was dancing, or something like that. Took everything plumb easy. Floated around and jerked his fists into 'em, and every punch was like the tap of a sledge hammer.' 'I know a man once—' began Lee Haines, and then his voice trailed away and his glance was lost in the sweep of a distant cloud. 'What's become of Sandy?' 'Fell.' 'Fell?' 'Fell five hundred dollars bail. Fearful disturbing the peace, they say.' Lee Haines forgot the journey which was before him. Instead, he went to jail, and there he interviewed George, the deputy and jail keeper. 'How's the patient?' he asked. 'Wants more ham and eggs. I'd bust the county to feed two like him. He's all stomach.' 'May I see him?' 'Everybody has seen him. I guess you can,' nodded George. 'Does he mind it?' 'Not him. He's got a word for 'em all. He'll have a word for you. You watch!' (To be Continued)

"I'll light the lamp." His voice was perfectly quiet and half of her fear died until she watched his hand as he held the match to the wick of the lamp for that hand was trembling. And a sudden constriction for him swallowed her terror. "Have you been doing this much?" he asked at last. She shook her head. "Never before." "Never?" She nodded. He went on smoking and watching her steadfastly until he had finished his cigarette, and then he said, suddenly: "Here you are standing and me sitting down!" And he started to his feet. "Dad!" she cried, tears rushing into her eyes. "After you've worked all the day and then waited up for me so many hours tonight?" She curled up on the bed with her elbow on the footboard. That brought her face perilously close to him. He would be able to watch and estimate every alteration of her expression. Nevertheless, there she sat. "Joan?" he said at last. "I guess I've made you pretty unhappy here." "Oh no." "That means yes. Well, I ain't very entertaining, and you're pretty young. Maybe you'd be glad to know that we're going to leave the ranch pretty soon." "Leave the ranch?" "I'm an offer a white back from Mr. Callitt. I think I'll take it." "But you said that was terribly small?" "It's large enough. I'll do to move us." "But where, dad?" "We'll go to some city. Maybe to New York. That's quiet and happy. Joan?" "Oh, yes!" He sighed. "Will you tell me where you went, Joan?" "I can't do that." She shook her head, and as he did so she heard a voice clear and small across the night from the direction of the road—a voice full of quavers such as are thrown into singing by the jolting of a buckboard and the song he sang was: "Que viva la rumba; Que viva, que viva placar; Que vivan las ninas, chulitas, bonitas, Y guapas que saben querer!" It brought her to her feet, trembling, listening with her ear to her face. "You've been seeing a man?" "Lucky cried. 'My God, is that it?' 'Why shouldn't I see a man?' he asked.

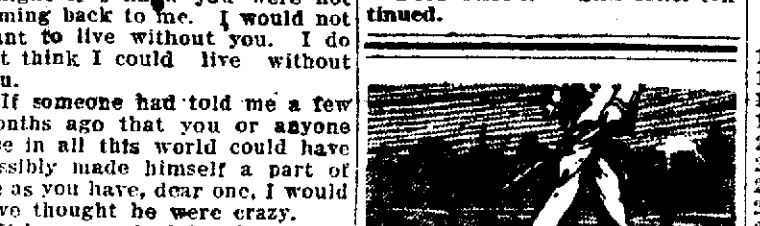
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## THE TANGLE

An Intimate Story of Innermost Emotions Revealed in Private Letters

LETTER FROM RUTH BURKE TO WALTER BURKE  
Man of Mine: I am smiling myself as I write "Dear Mine" for I never thought I would ever want any man again, and now my heart is throbbing when I think of that in that moment when I first met you, a person came into one's life and in a very little time made himself so indispensable that when he goes away for ever so short a while one is disappointed.  
Dear, I am so lonely that this day by the sea seems a howling wilderness in which I am lost and all the while calling, calling for you.  
I did not think it possible, dear heart, that your absence could possibly make such a difference in my life.  
Altogether it may make you more conceited than any man should be. I can't resist telling you that I think I would go out and throw myself off the steel pier tonight if I knew you were not coming back to me. I could not want to live without you. I do not think I could live without you.  
If someone had told me a few months ago that you or anyone else in all this world could have possibly made himself a part of me as you have, dear one, I would have thought he were crazy.  
It is so wonderful to know that somewhere in this world tonight there is a man who is thinking of me, wishing for me, as I am thinking and wishing for him. I feel your kisses, dearest. I hear your caressing voice. I see your lovely eyes. What is the use! I am an old married man. I have just put down here.  
I do not care whatever you think of it. I am going to send it anyway for lover mine, I believe I have been able to realize what a great what a miraculous thing it is to be able to love any woman and probably you, my husband, will think that it is foolish to write such rhapsodical letters.  
I love you.  
In all the books, in all the poems, in all the poetry, in all the drama, in all the joy of loving and the joy of being loved.  
Dearest, I have proven to myself at least that to really love, love unselfishly, loyally, faithfully and trustfully is the greatest bliss on this earth.  
Of course, I am unspeakably happy in the knowledge that you love me but more—ever more than that—I am filled with the joy that I did not know was of this earth because I have found that in my frozen heart has crept the power to love you.  
The sunshine is more golden, the moon is more radiant in its silvery sheen, the trees are greener, the sky is bluer, the flowers more fragrant, the birds sing more sweetly and all the world is so beautiful that the thought of golden streets and pearly gates do not intrude me in the least while you are alive and I can love you.  
TOMORROW—This letter continued.



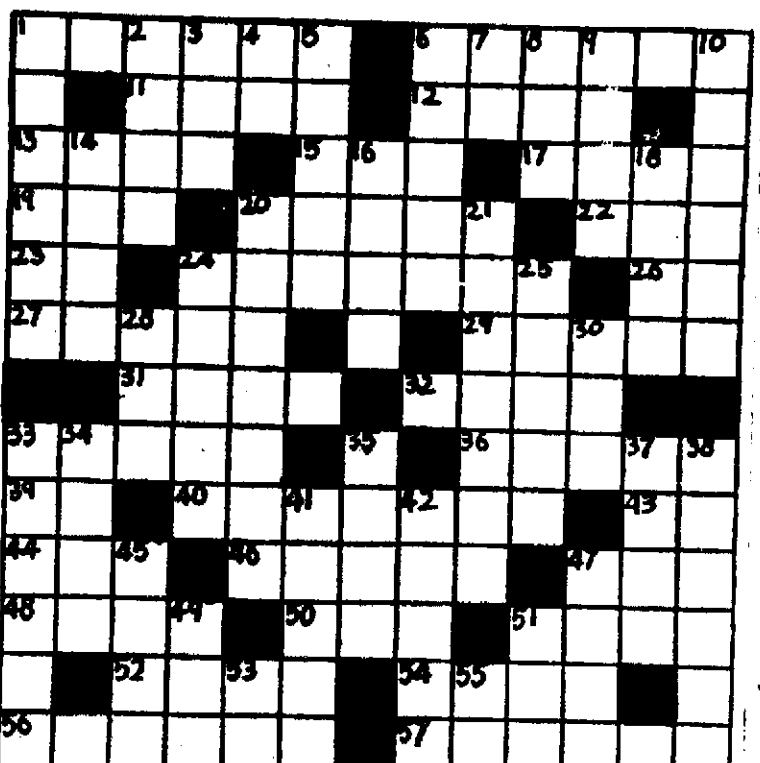
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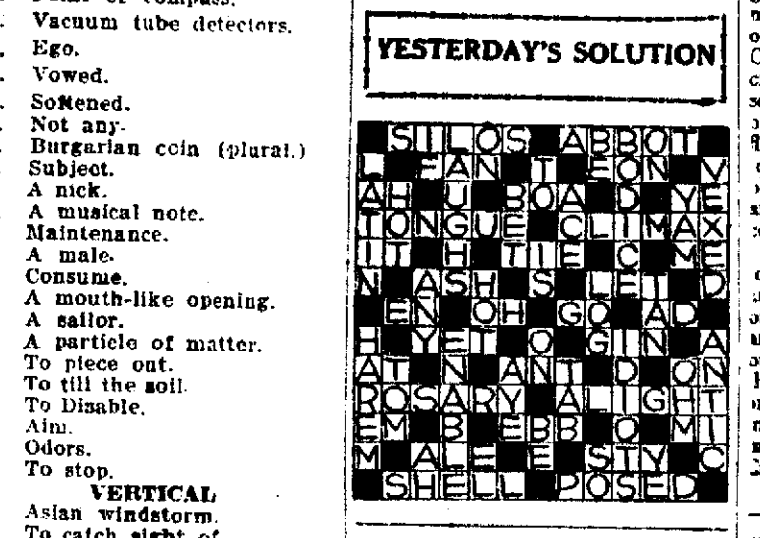
FOR THOSE WHO MOVE  
The moving vans are always on the go.  
There's constant change—new families arriving—new businesses being established—changes of locations for the Fall and Winter—some are seeking larger places—some families are storing their household goods—many are on the lookout for advantageous chances to move.  
These changes create a lively rental and sale market for houses, flats, apartments, business property.  
The Lima News Want Column contains the information that is most vital for those who move and for those who have property for rent or for sale.  
Main 4921

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Radio fans! Take off your ear phones and turn off your receivers. Here's a crossword puzzle for you. It was made by a radio bug for other radio bugs and includes many terms peculiar to the science.



- HORIZONTAL  
1. To encounter.  
6. Radiator of waves and signals.  
11. A wild plum.  
12. One.  
13. Cluster grapes.  
15. A seed vessel.  
17. Couch (plural).  
19. Some.  
20. Shin-bone.  
22. Decay.  
23. Point of compass.  
24. Vacuum tube detectors.  
26. Ego.  
27. Vowed.  
29. So named.  
31. Not any.  
32. Burgarian coin (plural).  
33. Subject.  
38. A nick.  
39. A musical note.  
40. Maintenance.  
42. A male.  
43. Consume.  
46. A mouth-like opening.  
48. A sailor.  
49. A particle of matter.  
50. To piece out.  
51. To till the soil.  
52. To disable.  
53. Aim.  
54. Odors.  
57. To stop.  
VERTICAL  
1. Asian windstorm.  
2. To catch sight of.  
3. A drink.  
4. Thus.  
5. Lukewarm.  
6. Form of amplification.  
7. Half an em.  
8. That from which Eve sprang.  
9. A passage.  
10. Tabulated.  
14. Atrich.  
16. Japanese eashes.  
18. A cupola.  
20. Underground roads.  
21. Aerial.  
24. An agreeable odor.  
25. A form of cabbage.  
28. A unit.



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## FALLS TO DEATH

Relative of Gen Grout Eludes Hospital Nurses  
SAN FRANCISCO—(By Associated Press)—Mrs. Fannie G. Purdy, 39, said to be the daughter of U. S. Grant, San Diego capitalist, and a grand daughter of General Ulysses S. Grant, former president of the United States, either fell or leaped to her death yesterday from the sixth floor of the Saint Francis hospital here where she was a patient. Death was instantaneous, hospital physicians said. Mrs. Purdy had been ill and despondent for some time and the hospital attaches said, Mrs. Purdy eluded her nurses, and running down the corridor jumped or fell from a window. Mrs. Purdy was married to Isaac Hart Purdy in Adrain, Mich., in October, 1911. The couple resided for a time in Purdy, N. Y., where the father of the bridegroom, Thomas Purdy, owned large estates. Acquaintances here said that the couple had been divorced for some time. One child, Hart Purdy Jr., 11, is in San Diego.

FOUND WANDERING  
NEWARK, O.—(Clad only in his night clothes and with memory gone, William D. Gilbert, 90, former prominent business man, was found wandering on the street in zero weather. Officials believe the man had walked from Masonic home at Springfield, O., where he went after the death of his wife.

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SETBACKReaction Is Due To Persistent  
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## BREAK FOLLOWS GAINS

Provisions Sympathize With  
Weakness in Grains

## CHICAGO — (By Associated Press)

Wheat at underwent a sharp setback in price today after an upturn at the outset. Persistent selling on the part of big commission houses was responsible for the reaction. Earlier, the market had been influenced by word of nearly seven billion bushels decrease in the amount of wheat ocean passage. Opening prices, which ranged from 1-8 to 7-8c higher than May 21, 1-8 to 1-11 and July 1-8 to 1-11, were followed by slight further gains and then by a break that in some cases went 3-12c under the early figures.

Oats and barley paralleled the action of wheat. Country offerings of corn to arrive here were somewhat larger. After opening at 1-3c off to 1-4c up, May 1-31 to 1-31 3-8, the corn market suffered a material decline all around.

Corn started unchanged to 3-8 1-2c lower, May 1-2 to 65 3-8. Later all months advanced 1-8c.

For the most part provisions were easier, sympathizing with grain weakness.

Pork, 1-12c higher than yesterday, and lard, 1-12c higher, were easier. Timothy, oats and rye were firm.

LISLE PARMENTER IS  
SPEAKER AT LUNCHEON

Talk by Lisle Parmenter, chairman of the welfare committee, featured the weekly meeting of the Lima Rotary club at Hotel Norval Monday noon. Parmenter's talk, which was of a brief nature, concerned the local club's work with crippled children.

The club was entertained by several trumpet players by Clarence Bell, of the House of David, a singing band now playing at a local theatre. Miss Marian Hamilton, another member of the company, accompanied him and also played several piano solos.

The House of David, first basement of the House of David, played in Lima, Ohio, for the first time in four years. The band was led by a man named...

TEMPORARY PUMP CO. IS  
FORMED BY LIMA MEN

Temporary organization to handle the affairs of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry during its reorganization period was formed by several local men Monday.

The Lima Pump &amp; Supply Co. has been formed with \$1,000 capital to take care of the preliminary details. M. J. Mooney, Frank Kommer, and A. D. MacDonnell are named as incorporators.

JOE JACKSON CHARGED  
MILWAUKEE, Wis.

"Shoeless" Joe Jackson, former member of the Chicago White Sox baseball team, today was named in a warrant charging perjury in connection with his testimony in his suit against Charles Comiskey, White Sox owner, for back pay and a bonus.

ALLEGED POWER TRUST  
WASHINGTON

The federal trade commission would like to investigate an alleged "power" trust under a resolution introduced in the senate today by Chairman Norris of the agriculture committee.

SUGAR MARKET  
NEW YORK

The price of raw sugar unchanged after a steady decline in the futures market. The market was quiet, with only a few transactions.

APPELLATION FOR PAROLE  
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Robert F. Parole, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio Penitentiary, has been recommended to the Ohio Board of Prisoners for Parole.

LEGAL NOTICE  
IN THE ALLEN COUNTY, OHIO

Petition to Quiet Title. Case No. 100. L. W. Brown, Plaintiff.

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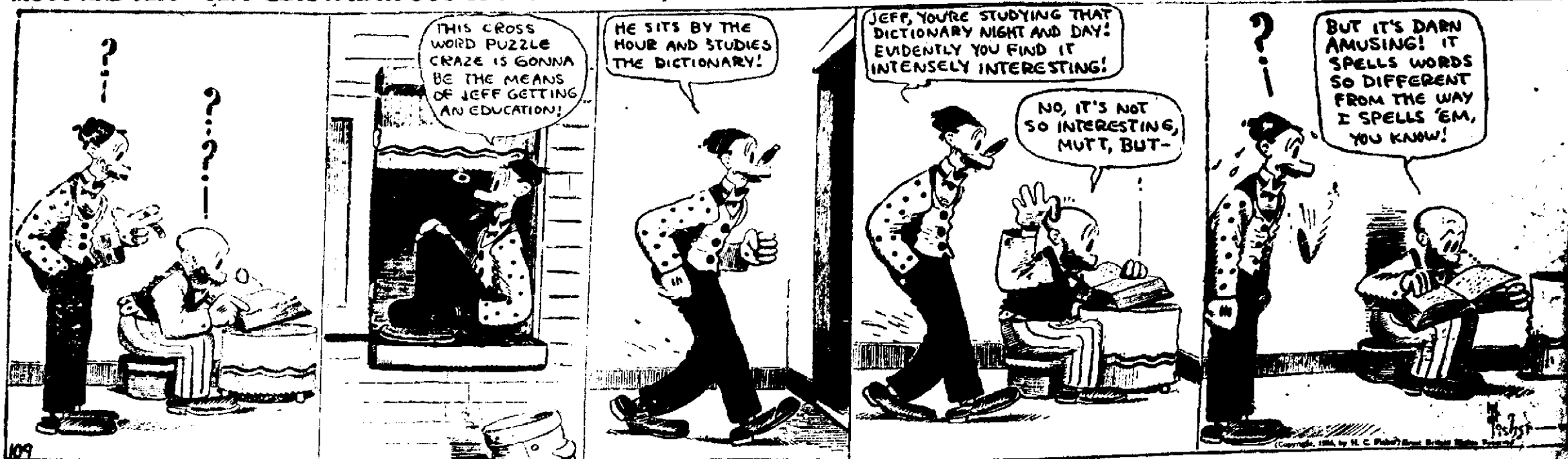
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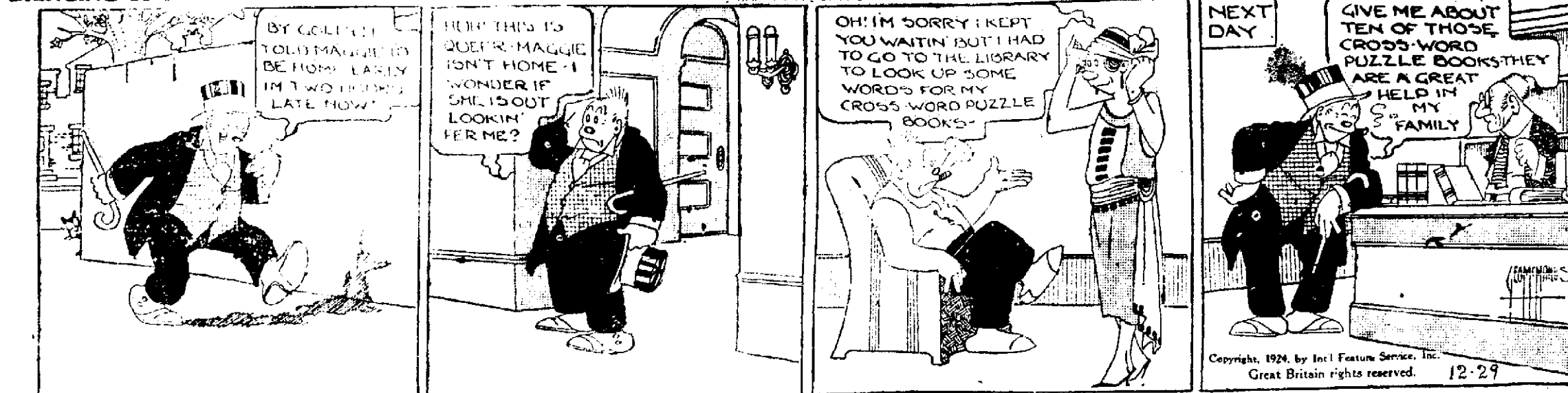


By BUD FISHER

## MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF GETS A KICK OUT OF A DICTIONARY—



## BRINGING UP FATHER—



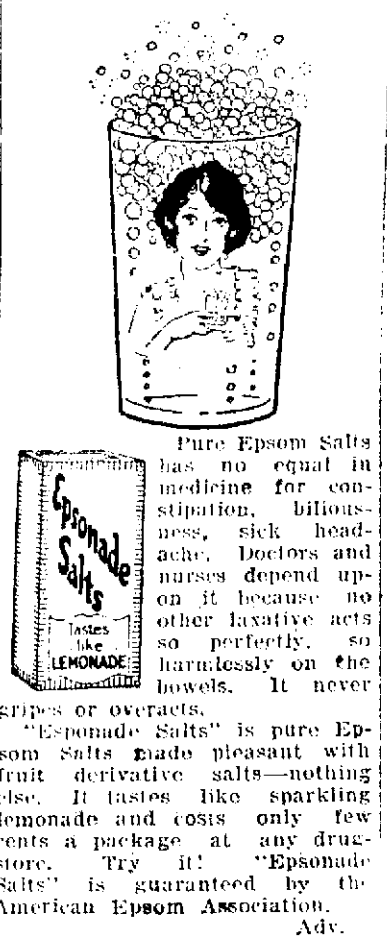
## OUR BOARDING HOUSE—

By AHERN



## AH! TASTELESS EPSOM SALTS

World's finest Physic now Pleasant as Lemonade



Simple Phosphate Real Builder of Strength and Nerve Force, Says New York Physician.

"Common sense as well as experience should teach those who suffer from nervousness and weakness that the most logical thing to do is to put into their systems the substance that is lacking and that it pure organic phosphate," says Dr. Joseph Harrigan.

Any good druggist can supply genuine Bitro-Phosphate at reasonable cost.

LET US INSTALL A **DURO** Water Softener in your home **Duro Products Co.** 216 E. MARKET ST. MAIN 1222

Start the new year by opening a charge account at the—

**THE STAR CLOTHING CO.** 17 Public Square

**YOU ARE INVITED** To Join Our **1925 Christmas Savings Club**

BIGGER AND BETTER THAN EVER THIS YEAR

Classes 1c to \$10 Per Week

**5% Interest 5%**

**The Lima Home & Savings Association**

W. High St.

Opp. Post Office

**PROMISES Are Good PERFORMANCES Are Better**

Ask some of our glass wearing friends how we have served them.

**ROGERS** 129 W. MARKET ST. C. A. Schmitt, Optometrist

## Eckerd's

26 PUBLIC SQUARE

Eagle Brand.....2 for 35c  
Fletcher's Castoria.....23c  
Woodbury's Soaps.....3 for 50c  
Cuticura Soap.....18c  
Camels, etc., Cigarettes, 2 for.....25c  
Little Odina.....7 for 25c  
15c Diamond Dye.....10c  
10c O'Henry.....3 for 25c  
50c Pepsodent.....32c

## TYPICAL RESULTS

Many people call The News office daily endorsing the resultfulness of Lima News Want Ads. Their confidence is the result of experience. They have found that the quickest and best, and therefore the most profitable results are produced by consistent use of Lima News Want Ads.

Here is a sample ad that appeared on Nov. 25th:

## FOR SALE

A new five room semi bungalow, strictly modern, hardwood floors and finish, priced for a quick sale at \$5000.00. Small payment down.

**W. F. Failor**

415 Opera House Main 6631 Rice 1328

Mr. Failor gave this report of results: "We sold the house advertised before noon of the 26th to a prospect from our ad in The News. A number of people called and were disappointed to learn that it had been sold. We are thoroughly convinced that Lima News Want Ad results are the best."

**CANDY**  
Crabb Candy  
Full Pound 30c  
**GREEN'S**  
142 N. Main St.

**ELECTRIC COMMUNITY**  
CLAIER  
THE OHIO POWER CO.

Soft Mix Candy, lb. .... 15c  
Jelly Beans, lb. .... 20c  
Salted Peanuts, lb. .... 20c  
Assorted Chocolates, lb. .... 20c  
5c Jumbo Stick Candy 4c

**Newkirk's Confectionery**  
127 W. Market St.

**VISIT OUR STORE FOR AFTER CHRISTMAS BARGAINS**  
**GRANT'S**

Our Great January Clearance Sale Is Now On  
**The Shoe Market**  
213 S. Main St.

Open a Charge Account With Us  
Clothes for the Whole Family  
**THE WHEN STORE**  
55 Public Square

**SQUARE UP! Pay Your Bill**  
Our money will show you the way. You will not have to pay out so much each day. Ask us about it.  
Phone Main 3584  
**Lima Loan Co.**  
2nd Floor, Opera House Bldg.

## THE OLD HOME TOWN—

By STANLEY



**CHEST COLDS**  
Apply over throat and chest—cover with hot flannel cloth.  
**VICKS VAPORUB**  
Beware of cheap imitations.

IT WILL COST YOU NOTHING

For confidentially consult with the Specialist about your chest. Office hours daily from 9 morning to 5 evening. Even on Sundays. Dr. J. L. Cannon, Uptown 5. W. Corner Main and Northside, Lima, Ohio.

**5% On Deposits** Compounded Semi-Annually

Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent  
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124 West High St.